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VIA ECF

The Honorable Judge Sidney H. Stein United States District Court Southern District of New York 500 Pearl Street, Room 23A New York, NY 10007

MEMO ENDORSED

Re: Felix Castro v Sportswear, Inc. 1:23-cv-07288-SHS

To The Honorable Judge Sidney H. Stein,

Plaintiff submits this letter motion respectfully seeking an adjournment of the initial conference currently scheduled for October 26, 2023 at 11:30 AM pursuant to Your Honor's Order dated August 31, 2023 (<u>Docket # 5</u>). The complaint for the instant action was filed on August 17, 2023. Numerous attempts to serve the Defendant have been unsuccessful. The Defendant is aware of the action and by their counsel, have retained Stokes Lawernce, P.S. to represent them in this action. Defendant refuses to accept service nor execute a waiver of service. Plaintiff is unable to submit the completed case management plan at this time despite communications with Defendant counsel. Plaintiff respectfully requests an adjournment of the initial pretrial conference thirty (30) days from October 26, 2023 to November 27, 2023, to allow the Plaintiff time to execute service upon the Defendant via the Department of State. This is the first time Plaintiff seeks the relief being requested.

The Plaintiff wishes to thank Your Honor and this Court for the time and attention to this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Noor A. Saab, Esq.

The conference is adjourned to November 29, 2023, at 4:00 p.m.

Dated: New York, New York October 20, 2023

SO ORDERED:

Sidney H. Stein, U.S.D.J.